catharsis

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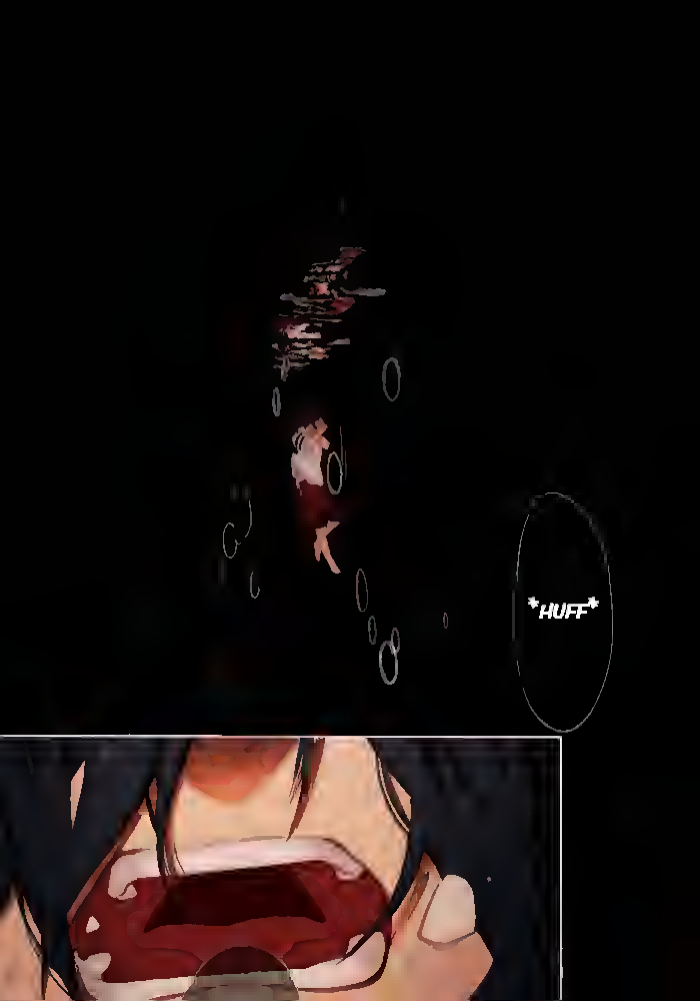
HUFF

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COUGH

I CAN'T BREATHE.

I'M BEING SMOTHERED BY THE DENSITY OF THIS ATMOSPHERE.

AH

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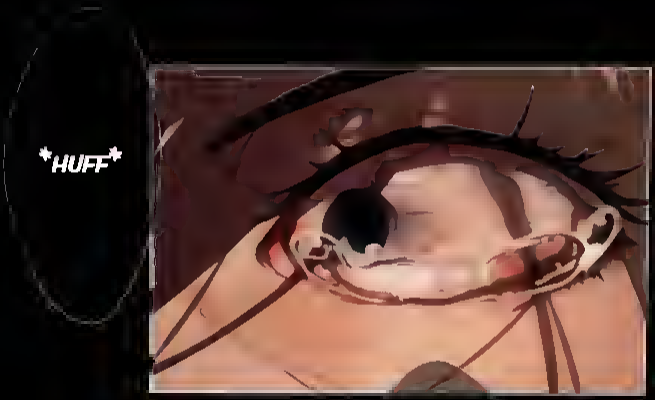


COUGH

CHOKE

I DON'T SEE ANYTHING.

HAH!

HE SAYS HE DOESN'T SEE
ANYTHING
THAT'S BECAUSE THERE IS
NOTHING DOWN HERE!!

...WELL..

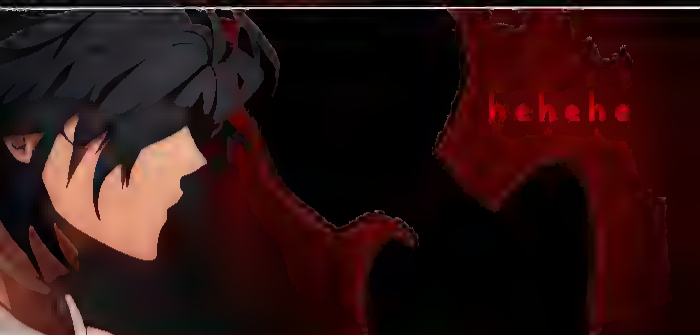
...NOTHING ELSE...

ALL I CAN SEE IN THIS DARKNESS IS THE RED.

BUT ME.

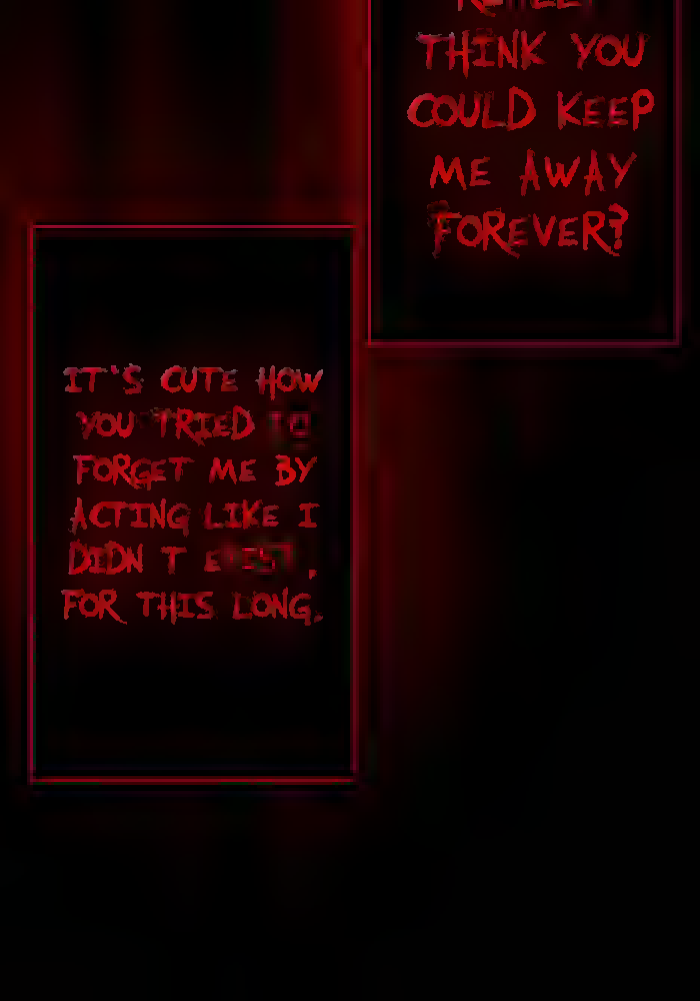
THIS VOICE IS RESONATING SO MUCH AROUND ME THAT I THINK I CAN MAKE OUT A SILHOUETTE OF THE ONE SPEAKING.

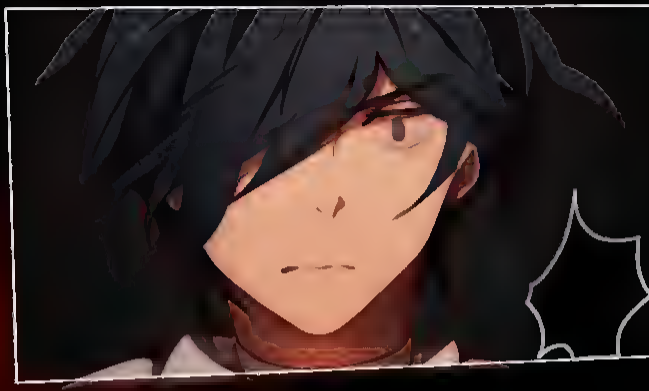
WHO'S THERE?



I WONDER WHO?

DID YOU
REALLY


THINK YOU
COULD KEEP
ME AWAY
FOREVER?
IT'S CUTE HOW
YOU TRIED TO
FORGET ME BY
ACTING LIKE I
DIDN T EXIST,
FOR THIS LONG.



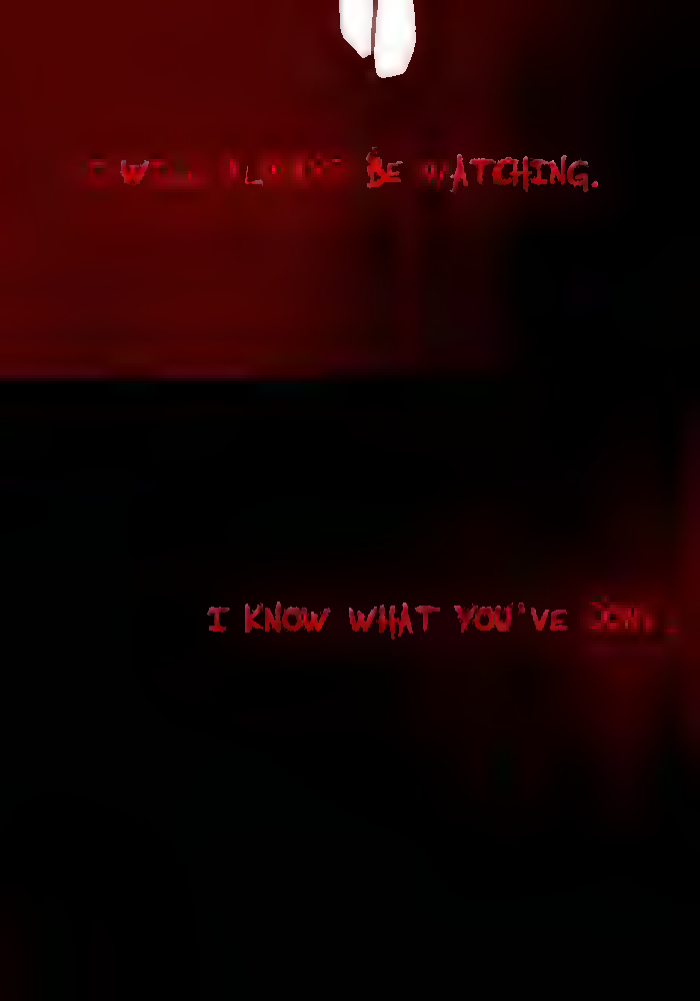
BUT YOU'RE A TERRIBLE ACTOR.

NO MATTER WHAT ANYONE TRIES TO TELL YOU, OR WHAT YOU TRY TO TELL YOURSELF, YOU WILL NEVER

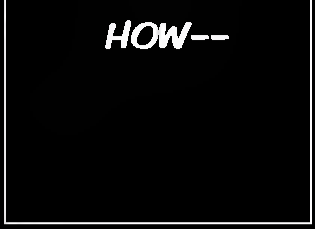
TRULY FORGET ME.

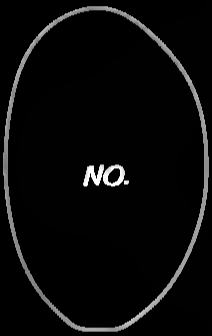
YOU WILL END UP CRAWLING BACK TO ME LIKE YOU HAVE ALWAYS DONE.

AND THEN WE STRIKE UP OUR USUAL, ONE-SIDED CONVERSATION WHERE I DO ALL THE TALKING


I WILL ALWAYS BE WATCHING.
I KNOW WHAT YOU'VE DONE.

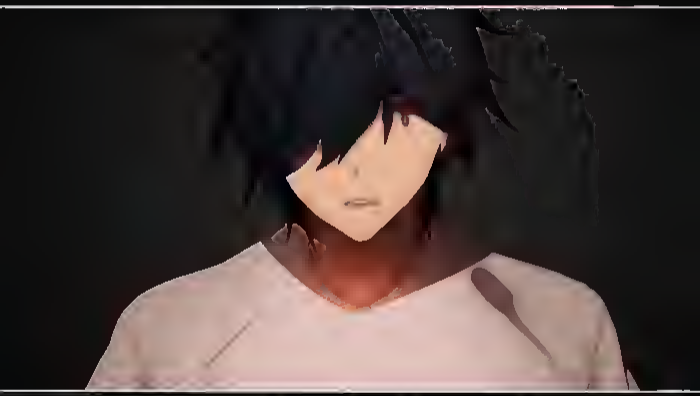
AND WHAT YOU HAVEN'T DONE.





NO?

IT'S TIME TO STOP PRETENDING NOW.



NO.
I CAN'T LET THOSE
EMOTIONS BE DRAWN
OUT SO EASILY.

YOU CAN'T [illegible] YOURSELF ANYMORE.
ESPECIALLY [illegible] FROM YOUR OWN HERO IN PERSON.

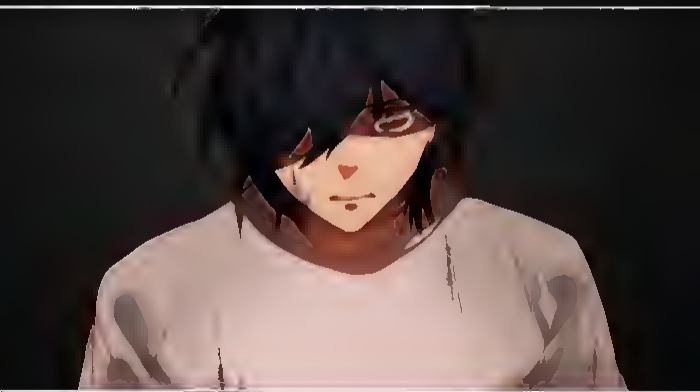
I KNOW [illegible]
I KNOW WHAT YOU CAN'T DO.

NO MATTER HOW HARD YOU TRY

OR HOW MUCH YOU "CHANGE".

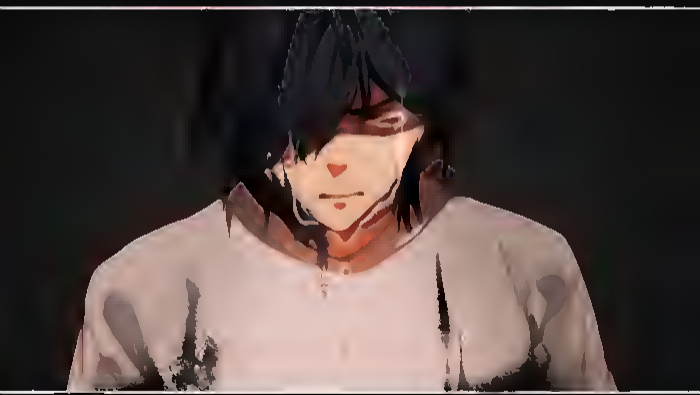
I COULD FEEL IT START TO UNWIND EVERYTHING SO EASILY.

YOU CAN'T COME OUT TO DO THIS NOW. PLEASE, NOT NOW.



WHY ARE YOU HERE?

YOU WEREN'T NEED ENOUGH TO BE !!

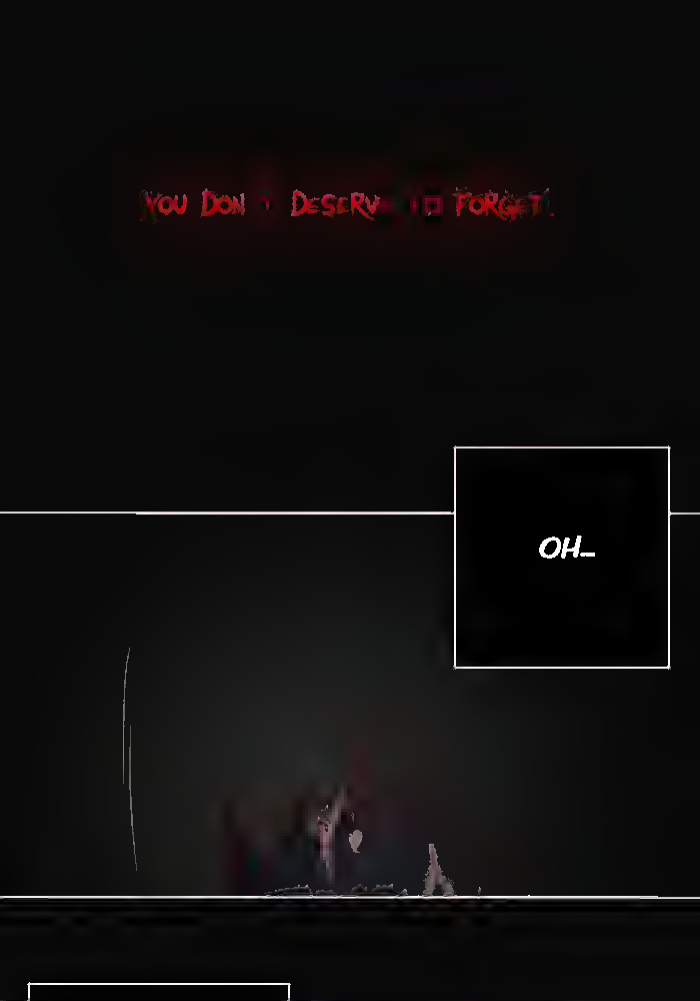


YOU WILL NEVER BE NEED ENOUGH.

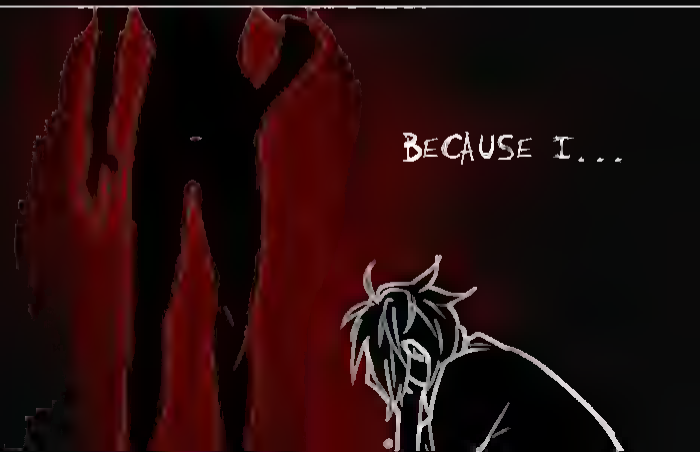
WHY ARE YOU DOING
THIS AGAIN?

YOU DON'T DESERVE TO FORGET.

OH...



I REMEMBER NOW.



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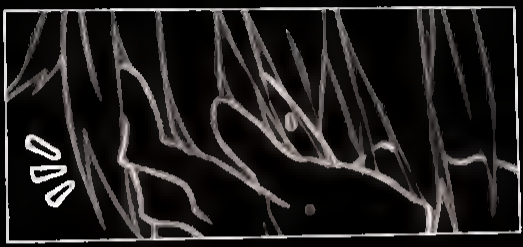
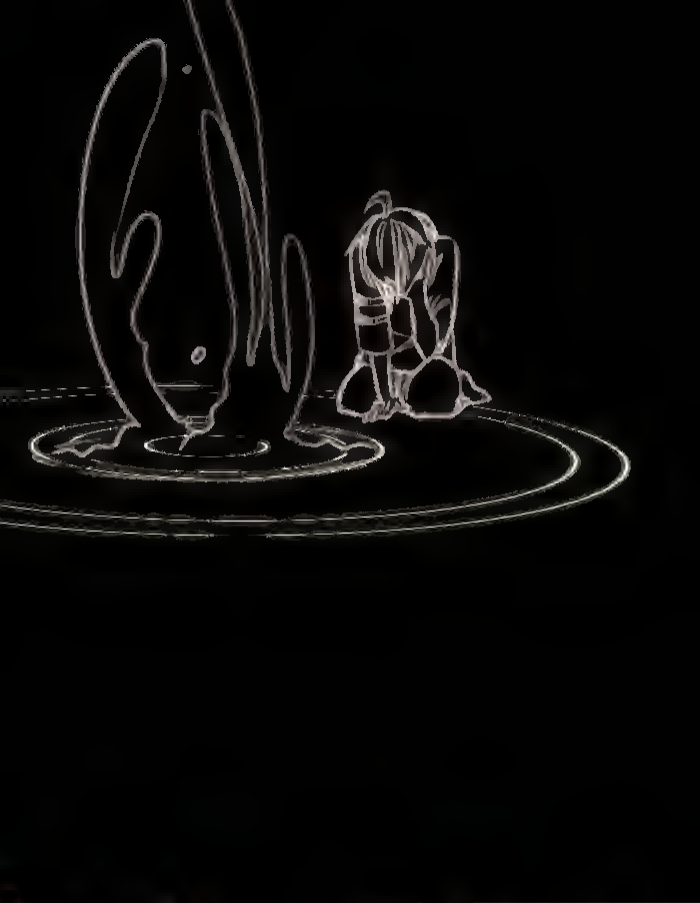
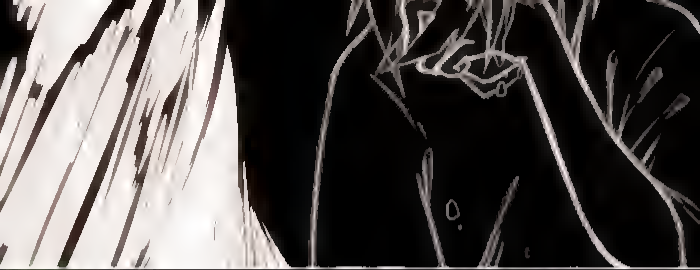
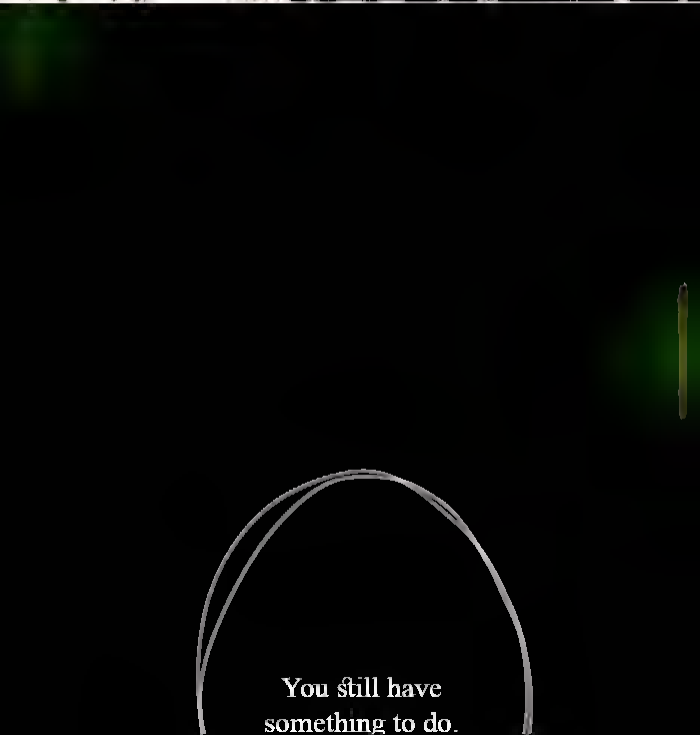
I'M NOT GOOD ENOUGH.

Get up.








You still have
something to do.

face me.

you're so close.

just a little more,
Leon